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NEWSLETTER

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SCORES festival will be held March 25

West Virginia Senator Jay Rockefeller will recognize the academic achievements of more than 3,000 high school students from West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky and North Carolina who will participate in Marshall University's 17th annual SCORES Academic Festival on Saturday, March 25.

Rockefeller will be the guest speaker for the festival's awards ceremony at 1:30 p.m. in Henderson Center, according to Sherry Brooks, SCORES project coordinator.

The festival is sponsored by the Marshall University SCORES (Search Committee on Recognition of Excellent Students) Department composed of representatives from every academic department on campus.

West appointed director of athletic development

Lance A. West, associate athletic director at the University of Idaho, has been appointed associate vice president for institutional advancement and director of athletic development at Marshall University.

Announcement of the appointment was made by MU President J. Wade Gilley who said West will be responsible for university fundraising activities which support athletics. Dr. W. Donald Williams, retired chairman of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, has been serving in an interim capacity.



West

Senior Vice President for Institutional Advancement Edward G. "Ned" Boehm said West will assume his new responsibilities April 1.

"Lance is an outstanding professional whose success stems from his enthusiastic and well-prepared approach to every challenge," Boehm said. "He is a naturally talented fundraiser and excels in working with a variety of people. We look forward to welcoming him, his wife Mary and their family to Marshall and Huntington."

The position within the university's Institutional Advancement Office was established in response to a report submitted to Gilley last summer by a special committee on athletic fundraising headed by General Harley F. Mooney Jr. "The Mooney Report" included a series of recommendations with a goal of doubling private support for Marshall athletics by 1999, including tying athletic fundraising more closely to the university's overall fundraising programs.

"In the course of a national search, we were able to interview a number of outstanding individuals," Gilley said. "We're confident Lance West has the experience and enthusiasm to help us reach some rather lofty goals for Marshall athletics in the years immediately ahead."

A two-time All Big Sky Conference football lineman at

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Brooks said the SCORES Festival is a spirited academic competition in which gifted students vie for top honors in various contests designed to test their knowledge.

"The competition is a way to encourage and recognize academic excellence among high school students, cultivate relationships with high schools in the region and generate public awareness of the academic achievements occurring in area high schools," said Brooks.

Tests will be given in approximately 120 subject areas, ranging from computer skills to drama performances. Each participant must have at least a 3.0 grade point average in his or her chosen area of competition.

The most coveted prizes are the large trophies presented to the schools with the highest point totals for all tests taken within their division. The schools are divided into five divisions based on student enrollment. First and second place winners will receive a trophy while third place schools will receive a plaque.

The trophies will be given in honor of distinguished and outstanding service of Marshall University faculty members. The honorees for this year are: Catherine Cummings, Communications Department; Dr. Maureen Milicia, Theatre/Dance Department; Dr. David Cusick, Mathematics Department; Dr. Robert Hayes, former MU president and coordinator of the university's current accreditation project, and Dr. Matthew Carlton, Mathematics Department.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded respectively to the top three competitors in each contest and honorable mention ribbons will be presented to the fourth place competitors. Seven of the festival's outstanding students will receive full tuition waivers for one year at Marshall. In addition to a tuition

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'Women Connect' program scheduled

Marshall University's "Women Connect" program will be held Tuesday, March 28, from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center, according to Kim Walsh, coordinator of women's and returning students' programs at Marshall.

The event is designed to emphasize the importance of women's studies and the mentoring of women students and recognize women who are working to address social justice issues.

Ann Timmons of Arlington, Va., will present her solo performance of "Off the Wall: The Life and Works of Charlotte Perkins Gilman."

A great niece of the reformers Harriet Beecher Stowe and Henry Ward Beecher, Gilman (1860-1935) also was concerned with social issues of the time.

Gilman struggled throughout her life with childhood desertion, poverty and recurring depression that virtually incapacitated her. She was compelled to carry out her mission of reform despite these obstacles and focused her attention on the plight of women and workers.

The author of several well-known treatises and books,

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waiver, the festival's outstanding student will receive the Rob Wheeler SCORES Scholarship Award.

Students registered for competition on Saturday are invited to participate in "A Night On Campus" on Friday evening, March 24. The evening's activities include a buffet dinner, bowling, billiards and country line dancing. Current Marshall students will serve as hosts.

A special event being held for the first time Friday evening will be the SCORES "Quiz Bowl" with host Ernie G. Anderson who serves as host for a local television program. All students registered for the Academic Festival will be able to participate in the "Quiz Bowl."

'Women Connect' program

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Gilman supported herself for several years by writing and lecturing. Her book, "Women and Economics," came to represent much that was basic to the early feminist movement in America.

Timmons has performed solo theater works since 1979. Prior to a successful off-Broadway run of "Off the Wall" in 1992, she performed "The Pen and the Podium," a compilation of monodramas, at the Lincoln Center in Washington, D.C., and the Edinburgh (Scotland) Festival Fringe.

She has performed solo works at many schools and colleges throughout the United States and has extensively performed in regional theater. Her film and television credits include "Wall Street," "Saturday Night Live" and "Another World."

The luncheon and program will be open free of charge to Marshall University students, faculty and staff. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Women's Programs, 696-3112.

Hoffman to give reading

William Hoffman, author of 10 novels and three collections of short stories, will read selections from his work at Marshall University Monday, March 20, at 4 p.m. in Birke Art Gallery.

A Charleston native, Hoffman formerly taught at Hampden-Sydney (Va.) College. He currently resides on a farm near Charlotte Court House, Va.

His recent novel, "Furors Die," received a favorable review by the New York Times Book Review as did his book of stories, "By Land, By Sea." A new collection of stories, "Follow Me Home," has just been published by the Louisiana State University Press.

Hoffman's stories have been selected for inclusion in many anthologies and "Best American Short Stories." He has won the Balch Prize, the Lytle and Goodheart prizes and recently received the prestigious John Dos Passos Prize for Literature.

His presentation at Marshall, open to the public free of charge, is part of the university's Visiting Writers Series sponsored by the Office of Academic Affairs, the College of Liberal Arts, the English Department and the West Virginia Humanities Council.

Copies of Hoffman's recent books are available in the Marshall University Bookstore and will be available at the reading.

To obtain further details contact Art Stringer in Marshall University's Department of English, 696-2403.

Brooks said Friday's activities will be held in a casual atmosphere to help acquaint students with the social life on a college campus and relieve some of the students' anxieties about college.

Competition will begin after breakfast on Saturday, March 25, and continue throughout the morning. The tests will be scored and the results compiled while the students have lunch and attend specially planned activities.

Results will be announced during the awards ceremony at 1:30 p.m. in the Henderson Center Arena. A hospitality hour for principals, counselors and parents will be held in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center prior to the awards ceremony.

Rockefeller will present the festival door prize, two round-trip airline tickets to any destination in the continental United States donated by U.S. Air, to one of the participating high school counselors.

To obtain further details about the Academic Festival contact the Marshall University SCORES Office, 696-6752.

West appointed director

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Idaho, West earned two undergraduate degrees there in public relations and in advertising/business management. He served as a graduate assistant football coach in 1985 and 1986, then became regional development director for Idaho athletics, covering the Boise area, in late 1986.

He returned to the main campus in Moscow, Idaho, in 1989 as assistant director of athletics for development and assumed his present position last December.

Boehm said the search was headed by Marc Sprouse, former Big Green Scholarship Foundation president, and Alumni Association President Louis Peake. "We are indebted to Mark and Louis and the members of the search committee for an outstanding job," Boehm said.

MU 'yard sale' planned

The spring sale of surplus university equipment and supplies will be held the week of April 3, according to William J. Shondel, director of purchasing and materials management.

Departments that have equipment and supplies to sell should contact Carol Skaggs, manager of central receiving, 696-6678, to coordinate tagging and pick up by Plant Operations.

All material will be on display for faculty, staff and students and the general public from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, April 3-4, at Sorrell Maintenance Building, located at 20th Street and Third Avenue. All items will be sold "as is-where is" with no guarantee as to condition.

Written bids will be accepted from interested individuals until 8 a.m. on Wednesday, April 5, when the bids will be sorted and tabulated in the Purchasing Office.

Individuals with the highest bids will be contacted by telephone and expected to pay for and pick up purchases by 4 p.m. on Friday, April 7.

Sales tax will be assessed due to state government regulations.

UHSP Convention to be held this weekend

High school journalism students from West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky will meet at Marshall University Friday and Saturday, March 17-18, for the 1995 United High School Press Convention.

Journalism students and their instructors from about 50 high schools are expected to participate in the convention's workshops, meetings and awards competition, according to Marilyn McClure, a member of Marshall's journalism faculty and director of the convention.

She said more than 130 awards will be presented to high school newspaper, yearbook and broadcasting staffs at the 68th annual UHSP luncheon Saturday.

Sponsored by Marshall's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism and Mass Communications, the United High School Press Convention was established to improve and elevate the quality of scholastic journalism throughout West Virginia and the Tri-State area. It was founded by the school's first journalism professor, Page Pitt, in 1927.

"Our goal is to help student journalists and their advisers by sponsoring UHSP," said McClure. "Teachers need to know they have support in what they are doing. The UHSP critiques of their publications, the workshops and other events help jour-

nalism teachers and students by providing knowledge of current trends and what works at other schools."

Robert C. Gabordi, executive editor of the Huntington Herald-Dispatch, will be the keynote speaker for the luncheon Saturday.

Prior to accepting a position at the Herald-Dispatch in February, Gabordi was the managing editor of The Marietta (Ohio) Times. He previously worked for eight years at the headquarters of Gannett Co. Inc. in Arlington, Va.

Marshall's School of Journalism and Mass Communications will award a scholarship to an outstanding high school journalist and present cash prizes of \$500 and \$300 to the schools judged the most deserving on the basis of an essay contest.

On Friday students will attend critique sessions and tour Marshall's newspaper, radio and television facilities. Workshops and the luncheon will be held Saturday.

Journalism professionals representing media from throughout the nation have judged the newspaper and yearbook entries in separate divisions for schools with less than 800 students and schools with more than 800 students.

To obtain further details about the convention contact McClure at Marshall University's School of Journalism and Mass Communications, 696-2736.

Byrd Institute gets \$4 million allocation

A \$4 million allocation has been released by the federal Advanced Research Projects Agency to continue the operation of Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems, according to MU President J. Wade Gilley.

"Senator Robert C. Byrd added the \$4 million to an appropriations bill last year," Gilley said. "Overall, Senator Byrd has obtained \$21.8 million for this important program since its inception in 1989. We share his confidence that the Byrd Institute is and will continue to be a powerful force in the growth of West Virginia's manufacturing economy."

The institute is helping many small- and medium-sized manufacturers in West Virginia to make the transition to state-of-the-art technologies, improve their production processes and strengthen their business performance, Byrd noted. The program links private industry, academia and government agencies in support of the Department of Defense's unique manufacturing needs, he added.

"By introducing flexible manufacturing technologies to smaller producers, the Byrd Institute is enabling more companies to be prepared with the resources and know-how to efficiently produce quality goods for military use, translating into cost savings for the Defense Department," Byrd said.

"As part of the initiative to strengthen the competitiveness of the nation's manufacturing base, the Byrd Institute is leading modernization programs in West Virginia and working across the nation to ensure that manufacturers have access to the technical assistance necessary to strengthen their competitiveness," Byrd added.

The Byrd Institute is part of Marshall's Research and Economic Development Center, located at Fourth Avenue and 11th Street in downtown Huntington.

Criminal profiles to be discussed

Dr. Ronald M. Holmes, professor of justice administration at the University of Louisville, will make two presentations about psychological profiling in law enforcement Friday, March 17, at Marshall University in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

His first presentation at 10 a.m. will be open to the public free of charge. Holmes will present a three-hour continuing education professional workshop beginning at 1:30 p.m. There will be a preregistration fee of \$30 for the workshop or a \$40 registration fee at the door.

Holmes has conducted more than 350 criminal psychological profiles for police departments throughout the United States. He is vice president of the National Center for the Study of Unresolved Homicides Inc. and has published more than a dozen books on crime.

Dr. Joseph Wyatt of Marshall University's Department of Psychology said psychological profiling is a popular subject at this time, particularly with the O.J. Simpson trial currently taking place. He said psychological profiling can help determine whether a victim was stalked, if the crime scene indicates a well-planned murder or an impulsive act of rage, if the perpetrator is psychotic and other important factors in a criminal investigation.

Holmes' presentation is being sponsored by the Marshall University Faculty Development Fund, the Department of Psychology and the Department of Criminal Justice honorary society.

Continuing education credit in psychology, counseling, law enforcement and social work is available through the workshop.

To register or obtain further details contact Wyatt at Marshall University's Department of Psychology, 696-2778.

'Saturdays Only' MBA program will start

A second class of Marshall University's popular "Saturdays Only" Master of Business Administration (MBA) program will be started this spring. College of Business Dean Calvin A. Kent has announced.

Anyone interested in enrolling in the program is invited to attend an organizational meeting Saturday, March 25, at 2 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22 on the Marshall campus. Dr. Chandra Akkihal, program director, will answer questions at that time. Those attending should bring copies of their undergraduate and graduate transcripts for evaluation of prerequisites for the MBA program.

"This is an outstanding opportunity for area individuals to obtain an advanced business degree at reasonable cost in a relatively short period of time, without disruption of their jobs," Kent said. "There is nothing that compares with it anywhere near."

The program consists of two curricula:

- Those with satisfactory college backgrounds in business subjects will enter the "Saturdays Only" MBA program directly. The curriculum has been designed to meet the specific needs of working professionals and stresses direct application of what is

MAS film series begins

The Marshall Artists Series International Film Festival will feature six foreign films that will run on a rotating basis for one week at the Keith-Albee Theater beginning March 17.

Films featured during the spring festival include:

--"In the Name of the Father," an Irish film in which Daniel Day Lewis portrays a young Irish man incarcerated for a crime he did not commit;

--"The Remains of the Day," an English film starring Anthony Hopkins and Emma Thompson as unrequited lovers in the servant's quarters of a 1930s English manor house;

--"Like Water for Chocolate," a Mexican film that features Lumi Cavazos and Marco Leonardi and centers on love and food during the Mexican Revolution;

--"Germinal," a French film featuring Gerard Depardieu based on the novel by Emile Zola about a small coal-mining village in northern France in 1880 and the on-going class war between miners and mine owners;

--"Strictly Ballroom," an Australian film about a ballroom dance contest featuring Paul Mercurio;

--"Indochine," a French film that spans the history of French Indochina from the 1930s through 1954.

Two of the films are included in the Birke Fine Arts Symposium, "Extra Musical: Text and Subtext in Performance."

David Castleberry, associate professor of music and director of choral activities, will present a brief talk prior to the first showing of "Like Water for Chocolate" on March 17 and the first showing of "Strictly Ballroom" on March 18. Castleberry's presentations will show the significance of music in both films. Castleberry's presentations will be held in the large theater at the Keith-Albee, where all of the foreign films will be shown.

Tickets will be \$6 per film. Full-time Marshall students will be admitted free. Part-time students and Marshall faculty and staff will be admitted for half-price. The foreign films are not rated and therefore not recommended for children.

To obtain tickets or further details contact the Marshall Artists Series Office, 696-6656.

being learned to the problems the candidate is facing in his or her job. Classes are taught as seminars and provide advanced instruction in all areas of business. Each class will run for five Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided.

- For those with a college degree but little or no college credit in business courses, there is a "Jump Start" program to allow candidates to complete prerequisites in economics, accounting, finance, management, marketing and quantitative methods by enrolling in seven specially designed Saturday courses. Those completing the "Jump Start" curriculum will be eligible to apply for full admission to the MBA program. The first "Jump Start" course will begin May 6, Akkihal said.

"A candidate working part-time in our regular MBA program will need more than three years to complete it," Kent said. "The 'Saturdays Only' program reduces that time considerably and makes it more likely that candidates will complete their degrees. We view this as positive for the economy of the area as those with technical and liberal arts backgrounds can obtain their MBAs in a convenient way, without having to leave the area to do so."

Those seeking admission to the program must make satisfactory scores on the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT).

Additional information is available from Dr. Akkihal, the college's director of graduate studies, at (304) 696-2613 or (304) 696-2315.

Committee now on-line

News and announcements from Marshall University's Faculty Development Committee can be accessed through a special "Usenet" newsgroup created specifically for Marshall faculty members, according to Margaret M. Gripshover, chair of the committee.

The newsgroup, "0.marshall.faculty.development," includes postings of current and future opportunities in faculty development.

Faculty members will be able to obtain INCO Foundation grant deadlines and application information through the newsgroup and stay up-to-date on both on- and off-campus faculty development activities.

The newsgroup also provides faculty a forum for discussion, comments and questions concerning faculty development issues.

To obtain further details contact Gripshover, 696-2502, or by e-mail at gripshov@marshall.edu.

Lunchbag seminar set

A lunchbag seminar titled "Women's History Celebration" will be presented Wednesday, March 22, at noon in Prichard Hall Room 143.

The program will include a panel discussion of the 75th anniversary of women receiving the right to vote.

The seminar is open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details contact the Office of Women's Programs, 696-3112.

Hicks and WMUL-FM honored by conference

Marshall University's public radio station, WMUL-FM, received a Southern Conference Commissioner's Award during a luncheon held in conjunction with the conference's championship basketball tournament held recently in Asheville, N.C.

The awards are presented annually to honor conference affiliated individuals and organizations for outstanding dedication and service.

Conference Commissioner Wright Waters said WMUL-FM, named the nation's outstanding college radio station at the 1993 Marconi College Radio Awards ceremony, was honored for its outstanding coverage of Southern Conference championship events. In recent years, WMUL-FM has been the only broadcast medium to provide complete basketball tournament coverage of every game.

Dr. Dorothy Hicks, professor in Marshall's Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation and former Marshall faculty athletic representative to the Southern Conference, also

received one of the four awards presented this year.

Hicks served as Marshall's athletic representative from 1982 until her retirement from that position Jan. 1. She is a past president of the Southern Conference, the only woman to have held that post.

Awards also were presented to the Asheville Sports Committee and Damon Richardson, a track and field athlete from Virginia Military Institute.

This year's winners were selected by Waters and former Southern Conference commissioners Dave Hart and Ken Germann.

"The Southern Conference is elated to recognize these individuals and groups at this time," said Waters. "The contributions these people have made, not only to the Southern Conference but also to their respective communities, is something we can all learn from and take pride in."

'History of Science' lecture series planned

"The History of Science," a series of seminars featuring nationally known scholars, will be presented at Marshall University beginning Wednesday, March 22, according to Dr. James Moloney, associate professor of mathematics at Marshall.

The schedule includes the following:

--"The Gregorian Reform of the Calendar" by Frank Young of the University of Maryland on Wednesday, March 22, at 8 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 105;

--"Reggiomontanus: Math in the Renaissance" by Ezra Brown of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University on Wednesday, March 29, at 8 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154;

--"Al Khawarizmi: The Father of Algebra" by Ahlam Tannouri of Morgan State University on Wednesday, April 5, at 8 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154;

--"Persian Astronomy: The 1300s" by Jamil Ragep of the University of Oklahoma on Thursday, April 20, at 8 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154;

--"Religion and Science" by Alan Altany of Marshall University on Wednesday, April 26, at 8 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154.

The programs, sponsored by Marshall's College of Science and Office of Multicultural and International Programs, will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact Moloney at Marshall University, 696-3045.

'Stages of Man' slated

The Marshall University Theatre will present "The Stages of Man" March 22-25 at 8 p.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse.

Tickets for the play, which is a union of theatre, dance and music, will be \$6.

A special pre-show buffet will be available beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 25, in the John Marshall Room on the second floor of Memorial Student Center. The buffet will cost \$14.95.

To obtain tickets or further details contact the Marshall University Box Office, 696-2787.

Winn dies on sabbatical

Dr. Stephen Winn, associate professor of sociology and anthropology, died of an apparent heart attack while on a jungle excursion in South America.

Dr. Kenneth Ambrose, chair of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, said Winn apparently died Sunday, March 5, while touring a portion of French Guiana along the northern border of the continent.

Winn was on sabbatical for the spring semester to write several papers about proportional representation of voting in various cities. He was visiting South America on vacation.

Winn taught sociological theory and political sociology at Marshall since 1974.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete.

Grant applications due

Applications for Summer Research Awards are due in the Graduate School Office by April 3, according to Dr. Lee Erickson, chair of the Marshall University Research Committee.

Application forms are available in the Faculty Senate Office and the Graduate School Office.

Erickson said 35 awards of \$2,000 each will be made this year.

WVU waivers available

Application forms for West Virginia University summer tuition waivers are available in the Marshall University Graduate School Office, according to Dr. Leonard Deutsch, Graduate School dean.

Full-time faculty and staff members are eligible for waivers, with a maximum award of three hours per summer term or a total of six credit hours. All six credit hours may be taken in one session.

Persons interested in applying for waivers for both summer terms must submit separate forms for each session.

Completed applications will be due in the MU Graduate School Office by Monday, March 27.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Graduate School Office, 696-2816.

Marshall University Academic Calendar for 1995-96

FIRST SEMESTER 1995-96

August 21, Monday - August 25, Friday	Registration/Schedule Adjustment
August 26, Saturday, 9 a.m.....	Residence Halls Open
August 28, Monday, 8 a.m.....	First Day of Classes
August 28, Monday - September 1, Friday	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
September 2 - September 4	University Computer Services Unavailable
September 4, Monday	Labor Day Holiday - University Closed
September 5, Tuesday	Guaranteed "W" Withdrawal Period Begins
September 22, Friday	Last Day to Drop 1st 8 Weeks Courses with "W" Grade
September 22, Friday	Application for December Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
October 17, Tuesday	Mid-Semester, 1st 8 Weeks Courses End
October 18, Wednesday	2nd 8 Weeks Courses Begin
October 20, Friday	Last Day to Drop Courses with "W" Grade
October 23, Monday - November 10, Friday.....	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period - Individual Course Withdrawal
(November 13 - December 8)	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period - Complete Withdrawals Only
October 30 - November 17	Advance Registration for Spring Semester for Currently Enrolled Students
November 1, Wednesday	Student Government Elections
November 4, Saturday.....	Homecoming
November 10, Friday	Last Day to Drop 2nd 8 Weeks Courses with "W" Grade
November 10, Friday	Last Day to Drop an Individual Class
November 20 - December 15	Advance Registration for Spring Semester Open to All Admitted/Re-Admitted Students
November 21, Tuesday, After Last Class	Thanksgiving Recess Begins
November 22, Wednesday	Classes Dismissed
November 22, Wednesday, Noon	Residence Halls Close
November 23, Thursday	Thanksgiving Holiday - University Closed
November 24, Friday.....	University Holiday - University Closed
November 23 - November 26	University Computer Services Unavailable
November 26, Sunday, Noon.....	Residence Halls Open
November 27, Monday	Classes Resume
December 4 - December 8	"Dead Week"
December 8, Friday.....	Last Class Day and Last Day to Completely Withdraw for Fall Semester
December 9, Saturday	Exam Day for Saturday Classes
December 11, Monday	Exam Day
December 12, Tuesday	Exam Day
December 13, Wednesday	Study Day - Exams for Wednesday Classes 3 p.m. and After Will be Held
December 14, Thursday.....	Exam Day
December 15, Friday.....	Exam Day - Fall Semester Closes - Official Graduation Date for Fall Semester
December 15, Friday, 6 p.m.....	Residence Halls Close
December 17 - December 25	Advance Registration/Schedule Adjustment for Spring Semester is Suspended
December 18, Monday	Deadline for Submitting Final Set of Grades
December 22, Friday, through January 1, Monday	University Offices Closed
December 26, Tuesday	Telephone Registration Resumes
January 2, Tuesday	University Offices Open

SECOND SEMESTER 1995-96

January 2, Tuesday	University Offices Open
January 2, Tuesday - January 5, Friday	Registration Suspended

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January 8, Monday - January 12, Friday	Registration/Schedule Adjustment
January 15, Monday, 9 a.m.	Residence Halls Open
January 15, Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday - University Closed
January 16, Tuesday	First Day of Classes
January 16, Tuesday - January 19, Friday	Late Registration/Schedule Adjustment
January 22, Monday	Guaranteed "W" Withdrawal Period Begins
January 26, Friday	Application for May Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
February 9, Friday	Last Day to Drop 1st 8 Week Courses with "W" Grade
March 6, Wednesday - March 7, Thursday	Student Government Elections
March 6, Wednesday	Mid-Semester, 1st 8 Weeks Courses End
March 7, Thursday	2nd 8 Weeks Courses Begin
March 8, Friday	Last Day to Drop Regular Semester Courses with "W" Grade
March 8, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close
March 10, Sunday, through March 17, Sunday	Spring Vacation - Classes Dismissed
March 11, Monday - April 12, Friday	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period - Individual Course Withdrawal
(April 15 - May 3)	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period - Complete Withdrawals Only
March 17, Sunday, Noon	Residence Halls Open
March 18, Monday	Classes Resume
April 1, Monday - April 4, Thursday	Advance Registration for Summer Session for Currently Enrolled Students
April 5, Friday	University Holiday - Classes Dismissed
April 8 through June 7	Advance Registration for Summer Session Open to ALL Admitted/Re-Admitted Students
April 12, Friday	Last Day to Drop an Individual Class
April 15, Monday	Last Day to Drop 2nd 8 Weeks Courses With "W" Grade
April 15 - May 3	Advance Registration 1996 Fall Semester for Currently Enrolled Students
April 29, Monday - May 3, Friday	"Dead Week"
May 3, Friday	Last Class Day and Last Day to Completely Withdraw for Spring Semester
May 4, Saturday	Exam Day for Saturday Classes
May 6, Monday	Exam Day
May 7, Tuesday	Exam Day
May 8, Wednesday	Study Day - Exams for Wednesday Classes 3 p.m. and After Will Be Held
May 9, Thursday	Exam Day
May 10, Friday	Exam Day
May 10, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close (except for graduating students)
May 11, Saturday, 11 a.m.	159th Commencement Exercises
May 13 - May 19	Advance Registration/Schedule Adjustment for Fall Semester is Suspended
May 13, Monday	Deadline for Submitting Final Set of Grades
May 13, Monday	Summer Session A Begins
May 20, Monday	Registration/Schedule Adjustment Resumes for Fall Semester for All Students Except First Time Fall Undergraduates
May 25 - May 27	University Computer Services Unavailable
May 27, Monday	Memorial Day Holiday - University Closed

SUMMER SESSIONS 1996

Session A

May 10, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Session A - Regular Registration
May 13, Monday	Session A - First Day of Classes

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May 13, Monday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes for Session A
May 24, FridayLast Day to Drop Session A Course With "W" Grade
May 25 - 27University Computer Services Unavailable
May 27, MondayMemorial Day Holiday - University Closed
May 28, Tuesday - June 6, Thursday "WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
June 6, Thursday Last Class Day - Last Day to Withdraw for Session A
June 7, FridayFinal Exam Day - Session A
June 10, MondayDeadline for Submitting Final Grades for Session A

Session B

May 17, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Session B - Regular Registration
May 20, MondaySession B - First Day of Classes
May 20, Monday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes for Session B
May 25 - 27University Computer Services Unavailable
May 27, MondayMemorial Day Holiday - University Closed
June 14, FridayLast Day to Drop a Session B Course with "W" Grade
June 17, Monday - July 11, Thursday "WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period for Session B
July 4, ThursdayIndependence Day Holiday - University Closed
July 5, FridayUniversity Holiday - Classes Dismissed
July 11, Thursday Last Class Day - Last Day to Withdraw for Session B
July 12, FridayFinal Exam Day - Session B
July 15, MondayDeadline for Submitting Final Grades for Session B

Session C

June 7, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Regular Registration
June 9, Sunday, 9 a.m.Residence Halls Open
June 10, MondaySession C First Day of Classes
June 10, Monday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes for Session C
June 14, FridayApplication for July Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
June 28, Friday Last Day to Drop Courses With "W" Grade
July 3, Wednesday - July 11, Thursday "WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
July 4, ThursdayIndependence Day Holiday - University Closed
July 5, FridayUniversity Holiday - Classes Dismissed
July 11, Thursday Last Class Day - Last Day to Withdraw for Session C
July 12, FridayFinal Examination Day - Session C Ends - Official Graduation Date for Session C
July 15, MondayDeadline for Submitting Final Grades

Session D

July 15, Monday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Regular Registration
July 16, Tuesday Schedule D First Day of Classes
July 16, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes for Session D
July 19, FridayApplication for August Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
August 2, FridayLast Day to Drop Courses with "W" Grade
August 5, Monday - August 15, Thursday "WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
August 15, Thursday Last Class Day - Last Day to Withdraw for Session D
August 16, FridayFinal Examination Day - Session D Ends - Official Graduation Date for Session D
August 16, Friday, 6 p.m.Residence Halls Close
August 19, MondayDeadline for Submitting Final Grades